26 November 1993

(a) Northern region: No hostile aerial activity was recorded in the northern region on 26 November 1993.

(b) Southern region: 42 sorties, flown at speeds of 600-900 km/h and at altitudes of 4,000-8,000 m, centred on Basra, Nasiriyah, Samawah, Amarah, Qal'at Salih, Artawi, Jalibah and Suq al-Shuyukh.

27 November 1993

(a) Northern region: 16 sorties, flown at speeds of 600-900 km/h and at altitudes of 6,500-7,500 m, centred on Mosul, Irbil, Dohuk, Tall Afar and Amadiyah.

(b) Southern region: 48 sorties, flown at speeds of 600-900 km/h and at altitudes of 5,500-8,500 m, centred on Nasiriyah, Samawah, Salman, Artawi, Busayyah, Jalibah and the area south of Najaf.

28 November 1993

(a) Northern region: 14 sorties, flown at speeds of 600-900 km/h and at altitudes of 7,000-8,000 m, centred on Mosul, Irbil, Zakho, Dohuk, Tall Afar and Ayn Zalah.

(b) Southern region: 38 sorties, flown at speeds of 600-900 km/h and at altitudes of 5,000-9,000 m, centred on Basra, Nasiriyah, Qurnah, Qal'at Salih, Samawah, Amarah, Busayyah and Jalibah.

29 November 1993

(a) Northern region: No hostile aerial activity was recorded in the northern region on 29 November 1993.

(b) Southern region: 33 sorties, flown at speeds of 600-900 km/h and at altitudes of 7,000-8,500 m, centred on Basra, Nasiriyah, Qal'at Salih, Qurnah, Samawah, Amarah, Artawi, Busayyah, Jalibah and Lasaf.

- At 1210 hours, a TR-1 reconnaissance aircraft was observed flying at a speed of 600 km/h and at an altitude of 20,000 m over Amarah, Nasiriyah, the area south of Najaf, Diwaniyah and Shatrah. It was last sighted at 1510 hours, heading in the direction of Hufr al-Batin inside Saudi Arabian airspace.

30 November 1993

(a) Northern region: 22 sorties, flown at speeds of 600-900 km/h and at altitudes of 7,000-8,000 m, centred on Mosul, Irbil, Dohuk, Tall Afar, Amadiyah and Zakho.

(b) Southern region: 42 sorties, flown at speeds of 600-900 km/h and at altitudes of 6,000-8,500 m, centred on Nasiriyah, Samawah, Busayyah, the area south of Najaf, Qurnah, Shatrah and Jalibah.

I should be grateful if you would have this letter circulated as a document of the Security Council.

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